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Mrs. Francis Berry, Marjorie and David, are spending some time in Blue Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Taylor of Portland spent the week end with Mrs. Alice Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wight and family of Bath were week end guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Wight.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Angvine spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Kid Blair in Coventry, R. I.

There will be no weight control class next week because of the holiday. The next meeting will be March 1.

Three pine logs from one tree, scaling 2100 feet, were hauled from Sawyer Brook to the E. G. Blake sawmill last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings have purchased the home of Mildred Wilbur on Vernon Street.

Miss Betsy Chapman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Chapman, a member of the sophomore class at the University of Maine, is on the Dean's List.

Mrs. Ethel Robertson and son, Charles, left Sunday to spend the week visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Browne and family in Washington Depot, Conn.

Mrs. Norman Dock, Richard Davis and Mrs. Charles Hamlin were called to St. Petersburg, Fla., due to the critical illness and death of their father, L. E. Davis.

Miss Barbara Angevine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Angevine, a freshman at Farmington State Teachers College, is on the Dean's list this past semester.

Mrs. Richard Hamilton and Susan are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Paul Brooks, in Portland, this week. Rev. Brooks is a patient at the Osteopathic Hospital.

The Jaycees met Feb. 13 at 7:30 at the Jaycee club room. Fourteen members were present with three guests attending. They were Richard Saunders, Guy Parker, Jr., Drew Webster. The committee chairman of the Miss Oxford County Pageant announces that tickets will be on sale at the Bethel Spa and Bosserman's Pharmacy for the coming event which will take place March 17. The guest speaker for the evening was Town Manager Harold Bean who reviewed the 1961 budget. Refreshments were served by the Jaycee Wives.

The American Legion Auxiliary met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Alta Meserve. Plans were made for a quilting party at Mrs. Mary Moore's Monday, Feb. 20, at 10 a. m. Plans also were made for the Legion birthday supper. The committee is Mrs. Adeline Dexter and Mrs. Hilda Donahue, co-chairman; Mrs. Alta Meserve, Mrs. Alberta Angevine, and Mrs. Jane Van Den Kerckhoven. The mystery package was won by Mrs. Mary Moore. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be at Mrs. Katherine Bennett's with Mrs. Doris Fraser co-hostess.

SURPRISE PARTY HONORS MRS. MARY LADD

Mrs. Mary Ladd was happily surprised Saturday, Feb. 11, when friends and relatives came to extend birthday greetings to her at the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Chester Ladd, at Rumbold Point.

Many beautiful cards, gifts, a purse of money, flowers and a corsage were received, accompanied by the well wishes of relatives and life long friends.

Delicious refreshments were served. Mrs. Charles Burnham and Mrs. Arthur Ladd poured and Mrs. Ralph Thurston cut and served the birthday cakes. Miss Edna Tucker circulated the guest book among the 86 friends and relatives who attended this very happy occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown and daughter of Perry, Fla., arrived Wednesday to visit Dr. E. L. Brown.

Miss Charlotte "Copper" Coolidge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Coolidge, is a patient at the CMG Hospital in Lewiston.

Susan Saunders of Bethel is one of the candidates for the title of Winter Carnival Queen at the University of Maine. The King and Queen will be crowned at the Carnival Ball Friday evening in the Memorial Gymnasium.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hannaford of Bar Mills were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, who observed her 91st birthday Tuesday. Mrs. Edwards was remembered with many cards, flowers and a cake on her birthday.

The Parent Teacher Association will meet Feb. 21 at the Crescent Park School at 8 p. m. The program will consist of the presentation of the Bethel School Budget, Supt. Sahlberg and school committee members will be on hand for discussion.

The eighth grade of CPS will sponsor the 10th annual fair at CPS, Friday night from 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. Games, movies, dancing and refreshments will be enjoyed by all. Proceeds will go toward the eighth grade class trip, Tony Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Chapman, is general chairman.

The Bethel Evening Extension Sewing Class which was scheduled for Tuesday night will be postponed until Tuesday, Feb. 28, at 7:30 p. m. Members of the group should come with the pattern pinned on material ready to cut out. Please bring zipper and sewing equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Greenleaf and family arrived Friday to spend the week end at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf. Saturday evening a family get-together was held. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Greenleaf and three children, Mr. and Mrs. John Greenleaf and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Greenleaf and two children, and Dr. and Mrs. Greenleaf.

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

The lack of stormy weather has required the laying off of truck drivers and mechanic in the Highway Department. The layoff is partial and is effective three days weekly, Monday through Wednesday. The men will work on odd jobs the remaining 2½ days. This order will be in effect until the next snow storm. Last week the town crew cut firewood on the Town Farm woodlot to provide a supply for the Community Room another winter, and for any potential welfare cases.

Two new street lights have been installed on Church St. The lights have been installed on a trial basis by the Central Maine Power Company until town meeting at no charge to the town. There is an article in the town warrant authorizing the installation of two 11,000 lumen mercury vapor lights to replace two 1000 lumen lights on Church Street near Gould Academy. If the article is voted the lights will remain, if passed over they will be removed. The same article also asks for a 100 lumen light to be installed on Eden Lane near the residences of Sumner Burgess and Stanley Brown.

The 1961 Town Meeting warrant has been drafted and signed by the Selectmen and is ready for posting by the constable.

The closing date for filing nominations with the Town Clerk for town office is Saturday, Feb. 18th.

Sincerely,
Harold L. Bean

EVENING EXTENSION GROUP

The Bethel Evening Extension Group met at the Home Ec Cottage on Tuesday, Feb. 14, for dessert and coffee. This was a part of the program, "Meal Plans for the Day," stressing low calorie desserts. Barbara Greenleaf and Muriel Butters commented on the recipes used and gave an informative talk on shopping for groceries.

The meeting was turned over to Rachel MacKay and Helen Hillier for the second part of our program, "Care of Clothing." Leaflets were handed out and Helen Hillier demonstrated pressing creases in and out of resin finished materials with the use of white vinegar. Rachel MacKay demonstrated the correct way to press woollens.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday, March 14, at the Home Ec Cottage. Subject, "Fabric Stenciling." Hostesses, Marie Saunders and Sylvia Benson.

KITTREDGE SERVING IN ICELAND

Walter H. Kittredge, aviation electronics technician second class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kittredge of Bethel, and husband of the former Miss Judith A. Feener of Andover, Maine, is serving with Patrol Squadron Ten at Keflavik, Iceland.

The squadron, which departed Brunswick, Maine, in early January, is scheduled to operate as a NATO unit for approximately five months.

Don't be a "bumper-chaser." The Maine Highway Safety Committee advises us, when we drive, to stay far enough behind the car in front of us to enable us to stop in an emergency without crashing into the leading car. Remember, the driver ahead may be called upon to make a sudden stop.

G. L. Kneeland, D. O.

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Conservation District Holds Annual Meeting

The supervisors of the Oxford SCD elected officers for 1961 at their February meeting. The meeting was held at the home of W. Henry Allen, Hebron, on February 9th. Officers for 1961 are: W. Henry Allen, Chairman; Norman H. Gray, Fryeburg, Vice Chairman; Robert D. Hastings, East Bethel, Secretary; Howard F. Sturtevant, South Paris, Treasurer; Edmund C. Smith, West Bethel, is the fifth member of the Board.

Other business on the agenda included making plans for Soil Stewardship Week. This week will be celebrated nationally May 7-14, 1961. The Oxford SCD supervisors will distribute Soil Stewardship Week Booklets to the clergy of Oxford County and inserts for Church Programs. The theme of the inserts is "Consider the Steward of the Soil."

The supervisors signed a memorandum of understanding with the Maine Forest Service. This memorandum sets forth the things each agency will do for each other and with each other to continue this cooperation in the discharge of their mutual responsibilities toward the use and treatment of land used for the production of wood crops and the efficient use of those crops.

NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION ELECTS OFFICERS

The Androscoggin Valley Numismatic Association held its fourth meeting Tuesday evening at the Community Room with 18 members present. An election of officers took place with the following results: president, Archie Ruel of Bethel; vice president, Bourdon Scribner of Harrison; secretary-treasurer, Lillian Sells of South Waterford; auction secretary, James Irish of Rumbold. Several of the members brought some of the highlights of their collections for exhibition.

As yet the newly formed organization has no junior members but hope to have in the future as all collectors in the area or any interested persons are always cordially invited to attend.

VARIETY SHOW ENJOYED BY LARGE AUDIENCE

Last Friday night, Feb. 10th, a large and appreciative audience was treated by an unusually talented list of performers in the form of a variety show. "Around the World," sponsored by the Couples Club of the Bethel Methodist Church.

Baton twirling, dancing, instrumental solos, duets, trios, ballets, hula dancers, pantomimes, and a real act of hypnotism held the attention of the audience for over two hours.

Under the guidance of Phyllis King, Arlene Hamilton, Phyllis Dock, and Arlene Walker, over 75 people, young and old, participated in producing the show.

The Couples Club wishes to thank everyone, audience and participants alike, for the good start toward purchasing a lighted bulletin board for the church lawn.

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LESLIE E. DAVIS

Leslie E. Davis of Bethel passed away Tuesday evening at the Mound Park Hospital, St. Petersburg, Fla.



Leslie E. Davis

He was born in Grafton December 2, 1892, the son of Sumner P. and Cora Farrar Davis. He was educated in the Hanover schools and graduated from Gould Academy in 1911.

For two years he taught school and then was employed by his uncle in the wholesale grocery business at Portsmouth, N. H. He worked in the railway mail service three years and during World War I was employed in a gun factory at Erie, Pa. Returning to Newry he engaged in farming and managed the J. P. Skillings birch mill in that town.

Coming to Bethel, he became a partner with Arthur Herrick in the Herrick Bros. Co. garage and in 1926 purchased the E. T. Russell place on the Middle Intervale road, which location has since been the family home.

Entering the lumber and sawmill industry in 1927, the business grew steadily to become one of the area's major enterprises. His mill and timberland holdings were organized as the L. E. Davis Lumber Co., Inc., in 1951.

Since 1945 Mr. Davis had been a member of the board of trustees of Gould Academy and was superintendent of buildings and grounds. He was a incorporator of the Bethel Savings Bank and a past master of Bethel Lodge, F. & A. M. He served as tax collector in Newry four years and in Bethel eight years.

He was a member and trustee of the Bethel Methodist Church and taught in the Church School for many years.

In 1914 he married Miss Marie Swan of Bethel, whose death occurred October 31, 1959.

He is survived by a son, Richard, of Bethel; two daughters, Mrs. Norman (Phyllis) Dock of Bethel and Mrs. Charles (Kathryn) Hamlin of Falmouth, Fereside; two brothers, Earl, of Bethel, and Robert, of Newry; and twelve grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 21, at 2 o'clock at the Bethel Methodist Church with Rev. Richard Hamilton officiating. In lieu of flowers those who wish may donate to the Methodist Church Memorial Fund or the Eva Bean Revolving Fund of the Gould Academy Alumni. Entombment at Riverside Cemetery.

I wish to announce my candidacy for the office of Selectman and Assessor on March 6.

BLAKE MacKAY

A. C. Saunders Heads Area Dev. Corporation

The Third Annual Meeting of the Bethel Area Development Corporation, held at the West Parish Congregational Church Tuesday, Feb. 14, was attended by about 70 residents of the Bethel Area.

Following a delicious chicken dinner served by the ladies of the church, all present heard a most interesting "down to earth" talk on community development by George Chennell who was making his first public appearance in Maine as the new Vice President of the Casco Bank & Trust Company in charge of Business and Industrial Development. Mr. Chennell discussed in detail the "Three P's" of community development—Planning, Programming, and Promotion; and he emphasized particularly the fact that the success of all three depends entirely on the amount of effort put forth by the individual citizens who comprise the community. In the course of his remarks, he also commented most favorably on the work already done by the B.A.D.C. during its first three years of operation.

Mr. Chennell was introduced by Halsey Smith of Portland, President of the Casco Bank, who briefly outlined the speaker's extensive background in the industrial development field, and stated this his principal function with the bank would be to assist local groups like the B.A.D.C. with their own development programs.

At the brief business meeting of the Corporation, those present heard the annual reports of the President, Secretary and Treasurer, and elected the following directors for three-year terms: Kimball Ames, Guy P. Butler, Charles E. Heywood, Arthur F. Lincoln, and John W. Trinward.

The Board of Directors, meeting immediately after the general meeting, elected officers for the coming year as follows: President, Addison C. Saunders; Vice President, John W. Trinward; Secretary, Guy P. Butler; and Treasurer, Edmond J. Vachon. Howard W. Cole, the retiring President, thanked all members of the Board for their whole-hearted support and cooperation during his tenure of office; and Mr. Saunders, the new President, announced that committee appointments for the year will be made within a few days and that a meeting of the Board will be called in the near future for a discussion of the year's program.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis attended the Oxford County Rural Letter Carriers Assn. meeting at East Sumner on Saturday evening. A pot luck supper and social evening was enjoyed. Two retired carriers were honored, Cecil Maxim of South Paris and Herschel Henderson of Hebron. Mrs. Maxim was honored as serving 32 years as secretary of the ladies auxiliary.

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Mount Sugar Loaf Grange, Dixfield, will observe their 86th anniversary Thursday evening, February 16.

Herbert G. Blake, Crescent Ave., Rumbold, retired from the Oxford Paper Co. Mr. Blake has served the Oxford for 43 years as machinist. He will spend his retirement years on his farm at Buckfield.

The Sumner, Buckfield, and Canton letter carriers were hosts at a supper Saturday evening at the VFW Hall to the Rural Letter Carriers' Association and Auxiliary. About 40 were present from Bethel, Locke Mills, Bryant Pond, West Paris, South Paris, Buckfield, Hiram, Stoneham, Fox Canton and Sumner.

The interior of the North Waterford Post Office has been renovated. New boxes have been installed.

The Oxford Pickle Co. announced an increase of ten cents per cwt. for pickling cucumbers. The company will consider contracting for cabbage and cauliflower.

Lawrence Richard won over Stuart Martin in a close race for a three year term as selectman in Rumbold at the municipal election Monday.

Chisholm Ski Club of Rumbold was host to the State Junior Skiing Saturday. The events took place at Black Mountain.

Robert Peck, Franklin St., Rumbold, was elected director of the Rumbold Community Concert Association. He will take Mrs. Marion Murphy's place. Mrs. Murphy has accepted the position of music supervisor in the Portland public schools.

ANNUAL SMORGASBORD

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Mrs. Gloria Cayer of lower Main Street entertained the Mother's Club on Feb. 8 at a regular meeting and Valentine Party. There was an exchange of gifts and lovely refreshments. Those attending were Lorena Simmons, Lucille Favreau, Glenice Roberts, Frances Bailey, Bevy Swan, Jackie Berry, and Laura Dolloff. The next meeting will be with Frances Bailey on Feb. 22.

James Sennett Sr. has returned to his home in East Andover after being a patient at the Rumford Hospital.

The February Committee of the Ladies Aid held a Food Sale at Newton's on Saturday afternoon.

The Andover Women's Town Basketball Team rallied at the end of the last quarter on Feb. 7 to win over the AHS Girls 24-23. Those playing on the Town team were Raylene Richard, Capt. Grace Simmons, Frances Poor, Lorraine Myshrahl, June Hutchins, Sharon Fitzherbert, Avis Perkins, Janet Hewey, Ismay Hutchins, Joanne Palmer, Eda Perkins, Gloria Hutchins, Judy Kittredge, Doris French, and Lois Farrington. Town Men to play were David Percival, Alan Bodwell, Junior Miller, Archer Poor, Arthur Myshrahl, Harold Hutchins, Herbert Knox, David Chaisson, John Berry, Donald French and David Bodwell. The money was divided between the High School and the P. T. A. After expenses there was a profit for each of \$20.80. The next game will be March 2. The men lost this game to the fast high school boys, 73-53.

The Heart Fund earned \$9.00 by the Lions sponsoring a Game Night for its cause on Feb. 9. Solicitors in town will be Alice Merrill, Jean Cummings, Frances Poor, Rena Falkenham, Flora Whitten, Eva Hutchins, Geraldine Marston, Pearl Peaslee, Althea Hutchins, Muriel Farrington, Marion Bodwell, Ruth Sidelinger and Katherine Akers.

The Pineland Ski Club met on Feb. 6 with 52 members present. There has been a gas stove purchased for the Ski Hut. The jump is in shape and the Senior Ski team has been working out on it. The Junior team continues to work out on the slope in town under the supervision

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of David Percival and Keith Hodsdon. All the Carnival trophies have been purchased and engraved and are on display at Day's Jewelry Store in Rumford. All entry blanks have been sent out to the clubs wishing to compete in the 34th annual winter carnival March 11-12. The deadline for entry is March 7 and no late entries will be accepted. Events to be entered and their classifications are: National and Eastern 30 k X-C; 15 K X-C, A or B; Junior 1 (16-17) X-C; Jumping Class A (17-18) X-C; Class C; Junior 1 (17-18) X-C; Class C; USE ASA Nordic combined Championship A or B. Meetings are being held each Monday evening at 7 at the Town Hall until the Carnival.

On Feb. 9 six members of the Andover Educational Fund met at the home of the president, Arthur Whitten, Sr., on Newton Street for their annual meeting. The first order of business was to elect a new secretary to replace George Lord, Jr. Prin. Dean McCrillis was elected to fill the vacancy. He read the minutes of the 1960 January meeting. Treasurer.

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Lucie Swain, reported that there was \$866.00 in the account. She also read a letter from Alfred D. Chandler, of Wilmington, Del., and Andover, founder of the fund. He requested that there be another meeting in June when he visits Andover.

It was voted to have some stationery made up with a suitable heading.

This fund was set up to help students of Andover continue with their school work beyond Andover High School. These checks are made out to the respective schools for the second semester's tuition.

Those receiving the aid this year are Jack Ladd, \$100.00, Freshman at the MVTI, at Portland; C. Thomas Learned, \$100.00, Freshman at MVTI. He had received \$100.00 in 1960 when he attended Paul Smith College. Joan Stinson, \$200.00, Sophomore at FSTC at Farmington; Michael Feener, Freshman at U. of M. did not receive money from this fund as he has a full scholarship from the Oxford Paper Co.; Charles Akers, Senior at U. of M. received

\$200.00 in September as he was not enrolled the last semester at Maine last year as he competed in the Olympics.

Those attending besides the officers were Claude Blanchard, chairman of the Andover School Board; Roger Mills, Jr., member of the school board; and Lester Farrington, a director. The other directors were out of state and Supt. Harvey McGuire was unable to attend.

Mrs. Whitten served refreshments.

Karen, young daughter of Game Warden and Mrs. John Swasey, entered the Community Hospital on Feb. 8 and was released on Feb. 12.

Mrs. David Simmons, Mrs. Marie Lang, Miss Sadie Bailey, Rev. Nathaniel Parson, Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Merrill and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Falkenham attended a gathering at the Mexico Baptist Church one evening this past week.

The finance committee of the Congregational Church met with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bailey on Monday evening. Final plans were made for the annual church drive which

will begin now and end Feb. 27. Those attending were Mrs. Alice Merrill, Mrs. Arvilla Feener, Mrs. Barbara P. Meisner, Mrs. Muriel Farrington, Mrs. Myra Crocker, Mrs. Lorena Simmons and Rev. Nathaniel Pearson.

Girl Scout Troop No. 1 of East Andover were sponsors of a dance at the Hall on Saturday evening. Troop Leader Jeanette Chenery assisted the Scouts.

The food sale held by the Ladies Aid netted \$50.78.

Mrs. Dora Morton and Mrs. Alice Jodrey entertained at the Town Hall for Mrs. Virginia J. Morton at a baby show.

er. There were 25 in attendance.

Mrs. George Morton underwent surgery on Feb. 10 at the Community Hospital.

AC and Mrs. Stephen Hall have returned to Limestone after spending last week end visiting with relatives.

The Pineland Ski Club winter carnival queen committee has been appointed with Mrs. Barbara Richardson as chairman. Those assisting her will be Mrs. Glenice Roberts, Mrs. Blandine Falkenham, Mrs. Beverly Swan, Mrs. Harriet Glover, Mrs. Louise Mills and Mrs. Celinda Dunn.

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IGA—Refreshing Grape Drink	4 Qt. Cans	\$1.00
IGA—Rasp. or Straw. Preserves	3 12 oz. Jars	\$1.00
IGA Pure Apple Jelly	5 12 oz. Jars	\$1.00
OXFORD—Sweet Mixed Pickles	3 Qt. Jars	\$1.00
TREE BRAND—Kosher Dill Strips Pickles	3 28 oz. Bot.	\$1.00

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Mrs. Dwight Martin, Correspondent

Cub Scout Den Four Group Two held a regular meeting last Saturday afternoon at the home of the assistant den mother, Mrs. Warren Smith. The meeting opened with the recitation of the flag salute and the Scout Promise by all the boys. A game was played and Valentines were exchanged. After the meeting closed refreshments were served to the following guests: Mrs. James Blanchard, Mrs. Raymond Seames, Mrs. Raymond Swan, and Mrs. Keith Ring. Mrs. Smith made the announcement that this will be the last meeting for group two, due to the fact that the den is without a Cub Scout Master. The meetings will be resumed as soon as a new Master is found to take over the duties. Anyone interested may contact Warren Smith.

Elton Cole, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cole of Greenwood Center, celebrated his sixth birthday with a party Wednesday afternoon February 8th at the home of Mrs. William Roberts on Main St. The living room was decorated in blue and white. Games were played and Elton received many lovely gifts. Refreshments that included a decorated birthday cake made by his mother were served to the following guests: Linda Cole, Bobby Packard, Karen Hathaway, Marilyn Roberts, Peter Seames Jr. and the honored guest.

The Greenwood Schools will close Friday for a week of vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lurvey, Westbrook, spent last week end as guests of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Melville and family, at their home on the Knoll.

The Mount Abram Fish and Game Association will hold a regular meeting Thursday evening (tonight) at the town hall. A six-thirty pot-luck supper will precede the meeting with Mrs. Norwood Ford in charge of the dining room. Kenneth Lasseter, ski instructor for the Mount Abram Ski Slopes will be the guest speaker of the evening. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The Jackson Silver Post No. 68 A. L. and Unit will hold a regular meeting Thursday evening (tonight) at the Legion Hall at 7:30 p. m.

Mary Jane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Martin, of Greenwood Center, who has been confined to her home by illness for the past two weeks was presented a sunshine box last Sunday in honor of her eleventh birthday.

Mrs. John Chase was guest of honor at a surprise stork shower Wednesday evening February 8th at the Legion Hall. The affair was planned by Mrs. Charles Morse, Mrs. Kenneth Hoyt and Mrs. Dwight Martin. Decorations were in pink and blue and the centerpiece for the refreshment table

was a beautiful decorated shower cake that was presented to the guest of honor by Mrs. Ellsworth Hathaway. Mrs. Chase received many lovely gifts and the guest list included: Mrs. June Seames, Mrs. Elsie Seames, Mrs. Evelyn Johnson, Mrs. Evelyn Farnum, Mrs. Katherine McAllister, Mrs. Ida Farnum, Mrs. Bessie House, Mrs. Frances Farnum, Mrs. Beatrice Farnum, Mrs. Bessie Andrews, Mrs. Verna Swan, Mrs. Robert Coolidge, Mrs. Malcolm Packard, Mrs. James Blanchard, Mrs. Lee Mills, Mrs. Warren Smith, Mrs. Lloyd Cole, Mrs. Herbert Dunham, Mrs. Lester Bickford, Mrs. Richard Melville, Mrs. Raymond Swan, Mrs. Ellsworth Hathaway, Mrs. Edward Chase, the hostesses and the honored guest. Many sent gifts but were unable to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Emmons and family of Burlington, Vt. spent last week as guests of his mother, Mrs. Bertha Emmons.

Mrs. Eva Dube has purchased her sister's, Mrs. Elyse Woodbury's, of Bridgton, share of their cottage property on Long Lake, Bridgton, left to them by their late father of Old Town.

Mrs. Lester Bickford and daughters, Joanne and Debbie, entertained at a Valentine Party Tuesday evening at their home on the Knoll. Games were played and prizes awarded to the following: funniest, Andrew Bartlett, Clark Martin; attractive, Penny Twitchell; Vickie and Patsy Dunham; unusual, Ronald Smith, Eileen Roberts. Refreshments were served to the following guests: Mrs. Charles Andrews, Mrs. Jay Willard, Carole Martin, Vickie Dunham, Alrig Swan, Eileen Roberts, Margie Swan, Clark Martin, all members of the first grade; Sharon Swan, Scotty Blanchard, Bobby Coolidge, Arthur Henley, Andrew Bartlett, Cleve Bachelder, Penny Twitchell, Patsy Dunham, Ronald Smith, Jim Johnson, Chrystal Hebert, members of the fourth grade.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank all who sent me cards, letters and flowers while I was in the hospital and since my return home. I enjoyed them very much.

Clayton Bane

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks for the many kindnesses extended to me during my stay in the hospital and since I have come home.

Marjorie McAllister

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

— Mrs. Olive Davis, Corres. —

A birthday party was given Clay Andrews Saturday in honor of his birthday which falls on Feb. 12. Those attending were Mary Ellen Andrews, James, Ronald, and Natalie Lamb, Mrs. Muriel Baker and two children, Billy and Randy, Mrs. Leslie Thurlow, and two children, Mark and Leslye, Tony and Devens Andrews. After playing games, ice cream and cake were served the guests by Mrs. Louise Andrews.

Ralph Dean has traded for a Chevrolet car.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews and James Lamb visited the Sunday River ski slopes Sunday afternoon. They brought Rebecca and Jackson Andrews home, also, some of the other young skiers from this way.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goodridge and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Shepherd of Berlin called on Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews Sunday morning. Mrs. Goodridge was on her way to Portland where she took a plane to join her husband in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Everett Howe and Steven. Mrs. Davis received a beautiful birthday cake and home made ice cream was served with it, a real treat.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryant called on Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis, Thursday night. They brought Mrs. Davis a lovely cake and a birthday gift of a nice table cloth in honor of her approaching birthday.

Mrs. John McKeen Jr. is on the sick list at present.

Miss Wanda Rich attended the high school carnival in Bryant Pond.

The Union School were shown a picture of "Massachusetts Holiday" Monday.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Whereas it has pleased our Heavenly Father to call from our midst our beloved sister, Marguerite Bartlett, and in view of the loss we have sustained in our grange and community—

Therefore, be it resolved, that it is a just tribute to the memory of the departed to say that, in regretting her passing, we mourn for one who was a faithful, diligent and cheerful friend and worker, and one who will be greatly missed by all.

Therefore be it further resolved that we spread a copy of these resolutions on our records; have a copy printed in the Bethel Citizen, and a copy sent to her family.

Alder River Grange, No. 145 extends its sympathy to the bereaved family.

Committee of Resolutions

Mrs. Myra Foster
Mrs. Edith Howe
Mrs. Bernice Noyes

NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. C. James Knights, Corres.

Sandra and Shirley Buck spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Buck.

Mrs. Peter Rosenberg was at Farmington on Friday. She called on George Abbott and reports Mrs. Abbott is gaining and hopes to be home soon. Mr. Abbott is staying at his son's.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Knights were at Farmington Sunday afternoon. Monday afternoon they were at Lewiston on business.

The four Rosenberg children and Shari Hill attended the movies at Rumford Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Kenneth Buck was at Berlin, N. H., on Monday.

UPTON

— Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Cor. —

Mrs. Daniel DeGrasse's daughter and husband of Sebago Lake came to their camp on Back Street last Saturday to see if it was in good condition.

Mrs. Edna Seward and Red Palmer of Lewiston spent the week end at her camp.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Judkins and Mrs. Beatrice Judkins attended Pomona Grange at Bryant Pond on Tuesday, Feb. 7th. They called on Mrs. Lester Hathaway at noon-time.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Judkins attended the Variety Show at Bethel Friday evening.

Judy Judkins is out of the Norway Hospital and was home over the week end. She will return to Gould Academy

Monday. She will go to Norway on Tuesday to have the stitches taken out of her thumb.

Lucien and Laurine Bernier of Norway School and Juanita Bernier of Gould Academy spent the week end with their father, Roland Bernier.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Garey and children of Sunday River spent Saturday last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lombard.

Bethel. Mr. and Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Gilbert were in Augusta on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Head were in Andover Sunday and visited Mrs. Head's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Akers.

Mr. and Mrs. James Everett Jr., and son Robert were in Berlin, N. H. Friday. They visited Mr. and Mrs. George Cleaves in Yarmouth on the week end.

Mrs. Maggie Lowell and Mrs. Clayton Kendall were in Dixfield on Friday.

The Pine Valley Youth Fellowship of W. Bethel Union Church will hold their regular meeting at the church Sunday P. M. at the usual time.

The Sunday School Class having the largest attendance at West Bethel Union Church Sunday, Feb. 12 was the class taught by Mary Head.

Mrs. Joseph Bradley substituted for her husband at West Bethel Union Church on Sunday on account of Mr. Bradley's illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bartlett of Newport, R. I., were visitors on the week end of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell Jr.

Jonathan Stowell was a week end guest of Charles Sprague at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Blowers, N. W. Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Clough and family visited the Rupert Grovers on Sunday.

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WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Lona Gilbert, Correspondent

Pleasant Valley Grange met Thursday evening, Feb. 9, at the home of Dorris Walker with 11 members and one visitor present. Voted to enter Community Service contest.

Voted to donate to fund to help defray expense of Chap. in State hospitals. Mystery march was won by Lettie Hall. Program during lecturer's hour was omitted and that time devoted to appointment of committees to make plans for Harvest Sale to be held this year and other discussion for other means of earning money and on improvements already made at the hall in the last few months. A social hour followed closing of the meeting and refreshments were served. The next meeting Feb. 23 will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennett.

The West Bethel Primary School held a Valentine party at the school house Tuesday. Valentines were exchanged and refreshments of cake and chocolate milk were served. The children presented their teacher, Mrs. Coolidge, with a box of chocolates.

Several members of the Chapel Aid Society of West Bethel Union Church have called for

yarn and are knitting different articles for the summer sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Abbott were guests Saturday night and Sunday of Mrs. Mary Abbott. They visited Wild Cat Mountain and other places of interest in New Hampshire Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Brown of South Portland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Davis Saturday night and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Davis and friend of Portland were guests on Saturday of the Davis family. Mr. and Mrs. James Blaquiere and family of Norway were Sunday visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert and girls spent Saturday night and Sunday at Lake Thompson. Sheila Gilbert caught an 18 inch toad while ice fishing Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hancock were in Shelburne, N. H. Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Lona Gilbert spent Saturday night at Norman Hall's.

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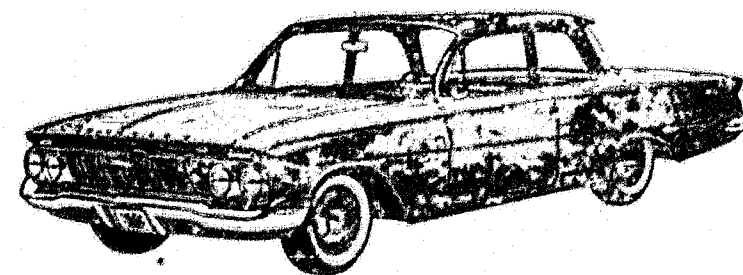
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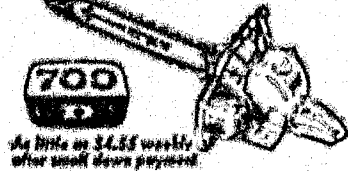
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CHURCH NEWS



Bethel Methodist Church
Richard M. Hamilton, Pastor
Friday, Feb. 17:
8:00 p. m. Board of Trustees Meeting.

Sunday, Feb. 19:
9:45 a. m. Church School.
Youth Membership Training.
11:00 a. m. Family Worship
Hour and Nursery Program.
Sermon: "Deep Is The Hunger."
6:30 p. m. Senior and Intermediate MYF. Adult Membership Class.

Wednesday, Feb. 22:
7:30 p. m. Eleanor Gordon Guild.

Thursday, Feb. 23:
7:30 p. m. Choir Rehearsal.
West Parish
Congregational Church
Clifford W. Laws, Minister
Sunday, Feb. 19:
Morning Worship, 11:00.
Church Nursery, 11:00.
Church School, 9:30.
Pilgrim Fellowship, 6:30.

The Church of the Open Bible
At the Universalist Church
Lorenda Freeman, Organist
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Church service, 11:00 a. m.
Carl Mores will be guest speaker this Sunday.

Mid week prayer service
Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of S. H. Browne.

Catholic Services
The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered Sunday at 9:00 in the American Legion Rooms.

Christian Science
An effective approach to world problems of disunity and inharmonious may be found in the Lesson-Sermon on "Mind" which will be read at Christian Science churches Sunday.
Bible selection: "Be perfect, be of good comfort, be of one mind, live in peace; and the God of love and peace shall be with you." (II Corinthians 13: 11).

How Christian Science Heals: WGAN-Radio, 560 kc., 9:45 a. m. Relying on God in Emergencies. Television: Chan. 8, 8:45 a. m. Who and What is God? Chan. 13, 9:45 a. m. The Ever-present Healing Christ. Chan.

GOULD ACADEMY

New England Interscholastic Ski Championships

This week end will be the high point of the ski season in this area. The New England Championships for boys will be run off here in Bethel at Sunday River, Gould Academy and Swan's Corner.

The schools who will be participating in this event are: Lyndon Institute, Vt.; Brattleboro, Vt.; Springfield, Vt.; Hanover, N. H.; Laconia, N. H.; Littleton, N. H.; Cumberland, R. I.; Massachusetts, one team possibly; Farmington, Maine; Edward Little, Auburn, and Gould Academy.

Program is as follows:
Friday, Feb. 17, 10 a. m. Giant Slalom, Sunday River Skiway; 2:30 p. m. Cross Country, Gould Academy Athletic Field.

Saturday, Feb. 18, 10 a. m. Slalom, Sunday River Skiway; 2:30 p. m. Jumping, Swan's Corner.

State Ski Meet, Fryeburg, Feb. 10 and 11.

The Maine Class A Interscholastic Championships got under way last Friday with eight teams participating. Teams competing were Gould Academy, defending champions, Edward Little, Farmington, Maine Central Institute, Mt. Mansfield, Vermont, and Madawaska. There were also some individual skiers competing whose teams did not qualify. Gould successfully defended last year's title and again holds the state ski title, with Edward Little in second place as before. The breakdown of the scores follows:

Friday - Ski Jump
day long jump Totals
G. A. 190.68 96.18 93.91 380.77
E. L. 173.98 92.56 97.43 374.12
Farm. 179.01 87.93 87.43 353.47
Mt. I. 161.61 66.79 91.69 320.09
M. C. I. 163.93 67.83 79.53 310.69
Mex. 160.91 58.63 85.84 305.37
Mad. 143.24 69.63 73.76 286.63
Bridge 149.51 67.72 70.28 287.51
Skiometer Awards: 1. Bruce Haskell, E. L., 380.89; 2. Steve Parent, G. A., 372.00; 3. Tom Ipham, E. L., 369.47; 4. Earl Tabor, P. 349.95; 5. Chip Taylor, B. 333.66.

The plaque awarded for being state champions was presented to Headmaster Edward Varban by the team captain, Bill Call. Members of the Gould ski team are: Bill Call, Peter Steen, Peter Jeff Hackett, Fred Landon, Nelson

5, 10 a. m. God Can Heal Our Children.
West Bethel Union Church
Joseph Bradley, Pastor
Mrs. Harriet Stowell, Organist
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Mrs. Olive Head, Supt.
11 a. m. Worship Service.
Choir practice Saturday, 6:30 p. m.

Chapel Aid Society, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 7:30 p. m.
Locke Mills Union Church
Church Services, 9:30 a. m.
Joseph and Carlene Bradley, ministers. Mrs. Richard Melville, organist and choir director. Choir rehearsal every Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

Sunday School, 10:45 a. m.
Richard Melville, superintendent. Mrs. Raymond Seamans, secretary and treasurer.
Bryant Pond
Universalist Church
Church Service, 9:00 a. m.
Glenn L. McKee, Pastor
Mrs. Addelynn Mann, organist. Anthem by Junior Choir.
Church School, 10:00 a. m.
Mrs. A. Mann, Supt.

West Paris
First Universalist Church
Rev. Glenn McKee, Minister
Mrs. Celia Lamb, Organist
Mrs. Mary Emery, Choir Director
9:30 a. m. Church School
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes Class.

West Paris
Finnish Congregational Church
Rev. Felix Mayblom, Minister
Sunday, 9:00 a. m. Sunday School.
10 a. m. English Worship Service.
11 a. m. Finnish Worship Service.
1:05 p. m. Finnish Gospel Program over WKTQ.

West Paris Baptist Church
Friday, 7:30 p. m. World Day of Prayer. Women from the Universalist Church and the Golden Rule Guild of the Baptist Church will conduct the services. The public is invited to attend.
Sunday, 9 a. m. Worship Service conducted by candidate minister.
10:15 a. m. Sunday School.

How Christian Science Heals: WGAN-Radio, 560 kc., 9:45 a. m. Relying on God in Emergencies. Television: Chan. 8, 8:45 a. m. Who and What is God? Chan. 13, 9:45 a. m. The Ever-present Healing Christ. Chan.

SCHOOL NEWS

The Crescent Park School recently received two Science Research Associate Reading Laboratories. The reading labs which will be used this year in grades four, five and six are intended as a supplement to the regular reading program. Pupils will begin working with the labs following mid-winter vacation.

Each lab contains reading assignments developed for pupils of different reading ability. For example, the lab to be used in grades four and five provides reading levels ranging from 1.2 to 7.0 or, in other words, from easy to difficult readings. Before a pupil begins to work with the lab, he is given a brief test to determine his level of reading ability. He then begins work at the level at which he can succeed.

Pupils successfully completing reading assignments at one level then move on to the next highest level. A feature of the lab is that each pupil keeps his own record in a student booklet furnished by the school. This allows pupils to progress according to their own abilities.

Mid-winter vacation for all schools in Union 22 will begin Feb. 17. Classes will resume on Monday, Feb. 27.

The West Paris School Committee met with the West Paris teachers last Monday night. The meeting which was held at the High School was devoted to consideration of a salary schedule proposed by the teachers association.

Smith, Jay Langley, Steve Saunders, and Pete Davis.
Franconia Junior Giant Slalom
On Sunday, Feb. 12, Cannon Mountain in Franconia was the scene for the Franconia Junior Giant Slalom Race. The girls' race was set on a 15 gate course on steep-pitched Zoomer Trail. The boys' course was 17 gates long.

Area finishers were:
Boys' Class I: 5. Bill Call, G. A., 4:16; 7. Frank Emery, Westbrook, 4:18.
Boys' Class II: 1. Steve Parent, G. A., 4:50; 2. Dick Mara, Beth, 4:59; 7. John Greene, E. L. H. S., 4:59.

Girls' Class I: 1. Sandra Hower, Auburn, 4:13; 2. Ann Friedman, 4:13; 7. Ann Friedman, 4:13.

Girls' Class II: 1. Sandra Hower, Auburn, 4:13; 2. Ann Friedman, 4:13; 7. Ann Friedman, 4:13.

TODAY'S meditation



THE WORLD'S MOST WIDELY USED DEVOTIONAL GUIDE

Thursday, February 16
Read I Corinthians 4:1-7

What have you that you did not receive? If then you received it, why do you boast as if it were not a gift? (I Corinthians 4:7, RSV.)

Toscanini was rehearsing Beethoven's "Ninth Symphony" with the New York Philharmonic Orchestra. He gave his musicians such a new insight into the music that, when the rehearsal ended, they rose and applauded him. Desperately, Toscanini tried to arrest their ovation, waving his arms wildly, crying to them to desist.

When there was a lull in the ovation, Toscanini's broken voice could be heard exclaiming—and there were tears in his eyes as he spoke: "It isn't me, men... it's Beethoven. Beethoven is everything—Toscanini, nothing."

The great souls of this world are the humble. The rest of us, even the best of us, have our little pride and our not-so-little arrogance. Sometimes when I catch myself in the act of boasting, I think of the Pharisee and the publican. Modesty becomes us, for we have much to be modest about! Nothing to be puffed up about!

PRAYER: Be patient with us, Father, as we come humbly into Thy presence. Dwell in our heart, helping us to be like Thy Son in thought, attitude, and decision. In His name we make our prayer. Amen.

Thought For The Day
No garment is more becoming to a child of God than the cloak of humility.

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THE UPPER ROOM



Locke Mills Explorer Scouts who camped on Mount Abram the night of January 28. Left to right: Leader John Chase, Ronald Roberts, Dwight Mills, Charles Newell, and Jim Roberts.

LINCOLN ACROSTICS

From Doris Lord's Reading Group:
Let us honor his mighty name
In silence or with loud acclaim
Never to forget his deeds
Caring to uphold his creeds
Over and over let us sing
Now is the time to follow his
deeds. —Ned Robertson

Lincoln was always pleasant and kind,
In school he had an intelligent mind
Nominated for president in 1861,
College was for Robert, his oldest son.

On April 1865, untimely death was Lincoln's lot,
Loved by the negroes for whose freedom he fought,
Now children everywhere his virtues are taught.
—Eileen Saunders

Loyal and true was this great man
In politics he took his stand
Noble and truthful in his strife
Country was his only life.
Onward not backward on his way
Loving each moment of every day
Never a man we'll find so dear
To be remembered from year to year. —Jean Robertson

CUB SCOUTS

Den 1. We met at the home of Mrs. Waldron. We made napkin holders for the Blue and Gold Banquet. —Keeper of the Buckskin, Tom Gibbs.

Den 3 met Monday afternoon with all eight Cubs present. After refreshments, furnished by Mike Heino, our Den Mother took us to Thurston's farm where Johnny Thurston, Mr. Felt and Mr. Morrill showed us how the cows are milked and cared for. Last week we made place cards for our Blue and Gold Banquet. —Keeper of the Buckskin, Wayne Davis.

Den 5 met Tuesday afternoon. David Keniston brought refreshments. Bruce Smith led the flag ceremony. We played games and worked on our place cards for the Blue and Gold Banquet. —Keeper of the Buckskin, Jimmy Lock.

Den 4 met with their leader Annie Hastings. We opened the meeting with the American pledge. Next we had refreshments. We then finished our place cards for the Blue and Gold Banquet. We played a game. Closed with the living circle. We went out singing.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

MET FEBRUARY 7

The February meeting of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce was held at the Congregational Church dining room on Tuesday evening, February 7th, with 41 members and five guests in attendance. Circle 5 of the Women's Fellowship served a chicken pie supper.

Eight new members were accepted into membership. These were: Al Baker, Andy Boyd, Herschel Glines, Ralph Hall, Mrs. Louise Lincoln, Rev. Clifford Laws, Blake MacKay and Jay Willard.

"The Proposed Budget for Town Meeting" was presented by Town Manager Harold Bean and Superintendent of Schools Eric Sahlberg.

to play. —Keeper of the Buckskin, Chris Bailey.

Den 6 met Tuesday at their Den Mother's home. We opened with the American Pledge. Afterwards we had refreshments brought by Billy Young. We finished the invitations for the Blue and Gold Banquet and brought them home. Closed with the Living Circle. Next meeting refreshments will be brought by Raymond Baker. —Keeper of the Buckskin, Billy Young.

Den 8 met at Mrs. Remington's home Wednesday the ninth. First we had the flag ceremony. After the flag ceremony we had refreshments and made place mats for the "Blue and Gold Banquet." Then we played a game or two. After the games we had the "Living Circle" and went outdoors to have a snowball fight. —Keeper of the Buckskin, Randy Swan.

Den 9. We put some Saran-wrap on our place cards and we also made some place markers for our table at the Blue and Gold Banquet. —Keeper of the Buckskin, Jerry Gibbs.

May you see it in THE CITIZEN

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BETHEL BOWLING LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost
Central Alleys	16	16
Woodchoppers	18	14
Legion	20	12
Bennett's	13	20
Waterford I	24	8
Masons	2	30
Lions	27	6
Waterford II	9	23

Highs for the week:
III single 145—Chet Adams.
III three 369—Chet Adams.

MT. ABRAM CONDITIONS

GOOD TO EXCELLENT

Skiing conditions at Mt. Abram Ski Slopes are good to excellent, with their companion attractions of skating and tobogganing rated as good. The parking lot was filled during the past week end.

Many teenagers enjoyed the Saturday night record hop and skating party. The king and queen were Gard Plummer of South Paris and Bev. Roberts of Locke Mills. The door prize went to Geneva Kimball of Locke Mills. Other winners were: spot dance, Dick Angvine and Sue Coppick, Bethel; skaters' waltz, Dwight Mills and Phyllis Kimball, Locke Mills.

Urged by the mothers, a fathers' group is taking skiing lessons and accomplished more

A TRIBUTE

A tribute to Leslie Davis should and can be stated in simple words.

His life was an influence for good to everyone and everything it touched. His unselfish concern for the welfare of all extended to his church, his school, his business associations, his friends and most especially his beloved family, even to the least small grandniece, nephew and cousin.

Such a rare quality lives on forever. Success is in the way you walk the paths of life each day; it's in the little things you do and in the things you say. Success is not in getting rich or rising high to fame; it's not alone in winning goals which all men hope to claim. Success is being big of heart and clean and broad of mind. It's being faithful to your friends and to the stranger kind. It's in the children whom you love, and all they learn from you; Success depends on character and everything you do.

In one lesson than the mothers did in three lessons.

Mount Abram Ski slopes are open during the week from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR...



To the Editor:

Is Bethel really this hard up? If we are, something more desperate should be done than just letting five men work only 20 hrs. a week.

Last Saturday I was informed that the Town of Bethel was only going to allow the men to work 20 hrs. a week.

If this is a fact and I am sure it is I would like to know whose idea it was and why they recommended it. Could this person or persons think they could live on the wages this will give the town employees? If so I would like to have them answer this letter next week and explain just how they would do it, as I have been looking for a way for some time to cut down on my living expenses.

What is going to happen to the money we are supposed to save by doing this?

Will our taxes go down? If they should it would be the biggest surprise in the history of Bethel.

I understand the men will work Thursdays, Fridays, and one-half a day Saturdays and of course if we have a snow storm any other day of the week, then they are supposed to work enough extra to clean up the storm. Here is what I would like to see happen next Monday, about 18 inches of snow Monday morning and then have all five men call in and quit their jobs as of that minute (a good excuse for something like this would be that they couldn't stand it to work over 20 hrs. a week). Then I would hope that the Town Manager or Selectmen couldn't find anybody to drive the trucks to plow. This would really fix the old Town up in good shape.

I'm sure there is plenty of work the town could have these men doing while they are waiting for the next storm, such as splitting wood, cutting wood on the Town Farm or cutting brush beside some of our back roads.

My sympathy goes to you five men that are only allowed to work 20 hours a week. I only wish that the person or persons that are responsible for this had to get by on the "big" pay checks you boys will be getting instead of you.

Sincerely,
A Bethel Taxpayer

West Bethel, Maine

Dear Editor:

A word of appreciation for the story of the old "West Bethel Hotel."

While I speak only for myself, I feel that we who live in this little village should be grateful for the courage of the author in "speaking up".

It is interesting to know the history of the dwellings in our town, but it is more important to take pride in one's community, and to exert one's efforts toward making it a place to be proud of now. At first glance the stranger driving through sees a neat orderly street, and then it is shockingly marred by the wretched hulk of the old hotel.

We have all been steadily trying, as we could, to improve our homes. Even the smallest renovations are costly today. Having a tumbledown property in our midst depreciates other properties markedly especially if one wishes to sell.

I do sympathize with the owner about the destructive things that have been done to this once proud house. There should be enough activities for country children as well as the supervision to use them, so that they are not tempted to depredations of property. However, had care and imagination been used on the house when first acquired it could have been made into an attractive apartment house, with neat lawns, which would enhance the community, and bring revenue to the owner.

There is constant fear in the community of fire starting in this old house, and in a community like this, which often has winds off the mountains, the chance of complete destruction of the village is not a remote possibility. A highly potential fire hazard exists.

Thank you again to the author and to you the Editor, for printing the interesting story, and reminding us all that we do have a heritage of a pretty town, and that we should endeavor to keep it that way for our own health, safety and enjoyment as well as that of our visitors.

Sincerely yours,
Elizabeth A. Mason



FIRST HOUSE of the Blake-Lowe building project on Bridge Street nears completion. This residence, which has been purchased by Mrs. Emma Blake Page, will also house the beauty parlor which she plans to open in the early summer. Mrs. Page and family expect to move to their new home as soon as it is finished this spring.

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1 White pearl accordion, 148, 102 buttons, \$75.00. 1-3. MRS. FRANCIS M. ant Pond, Maine.

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New appliances including 30 gal. gas water heater glass lined only \$69.95, 60 gal. stone lined Hotpoint electric water heater only \$109.95, Hotpoint automatic washers \$195.50, Hotpoint portable dishwasher \$199.95, gas R. C. A. dryer only \$169.95, built in gas range top only \$98.95, oven only \$164.65. If it is new appliances you need be sure to see the largest display and the widest selection at TWITCHELL FARM EQUIPMENT, Oxford, Me. We trade, finance, deliver and service. 6-7

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We are now taking orders for 1961 proof sets. We also have proof sets in past years. We now have a nice selection of Lincoln pennies including key coins and many other coins. We have a complete line of coin books and coin folders, also stamps. MAY'S DRUG STORE, South Paris, Maine. 6-7

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HOUSES, CAMPS NEEDED - From June 27 to August 11 we will need a considerable number of places to house NTL families. If interested in renting your property from 2 to 7 weeks please call VA 4-2131. 3-8

OLD COINS WANTED - U. S. and Canadian. Highest prices paid. ARCHIE RUEB, P. O. Box 271, Bethel, Maine, Tel. VA 4-2534. 9p

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Mrs. Florence Holder, Cor. - Clayton Bryant is confined to his home by illness. Dr. Twaddle of Bethel is attending him.

Sandra Cole of Portland spent the week end at her home here.

Miss Martha Hutchinson of Kittery is a guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tyler, this week.

Delbert Bryant of Bethel spent the week end with his father, Clayton Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sawyer of Portland were visitors in town, this week.

Hugh Smith of Portland was a visitor in town, Friday.

Twenty-five words or less, one week, 50 cents; additional weeks without change, 25 cents. More than 25 words, two cents per word the first week; additional weeks, one cent per word.

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REAL ESTATE

If you have property to sell or if you wish to buy a home, a business or timberland why not contact STUART F. MARTIN, a licensed Real Estate Broker, Rumford Point. 16-17

Two family house, large lot, near schools and stores. Village water and sewer. Price reduced to \$12,500. Also the John Howe property on Broad St., reduced to \$12,000. S. F. MARTIN, Real Estate Broker, Rumford Point. 37-17

MISCELLANEOUS

Snow Plowing, Driveways and yards cleared promptly. LAWRENCE WINSLOW, Railroad Street. 3-5p

INTERIOR PAINTING at reasonable rates. Call DONALD HANSCOM, 12 Russell St., South Paris, Pilgrim 3-2834. 7-9

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Leave Shoes at the Bethel Spa for repair and clothes to clean Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. EXCEL CLEANERS AND DYERS, INC., Auburn, Maine. 44-17

Leave Shoes for Repairs at ROBERT KENISTON'S on Chapman St., Bethel. Work done by A. Ouellette, Berlin, N. H. 40-17

SONGO POND

Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Cor. - Miss Gloria Childs spent one day last week with Mrs. Florence Walker in West Bethel.

Hollis Grindle took Mrs. Ethel Chapman and daughter, Irene, to visit her mother, Mrs. Zella Smith, Sunday.

Miss Llona Keniston spent the week end at home with the Earlton Kenistons. On Sunday they visited relatives in New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keniston of Portland were recent callers at Earlton Keniston's.

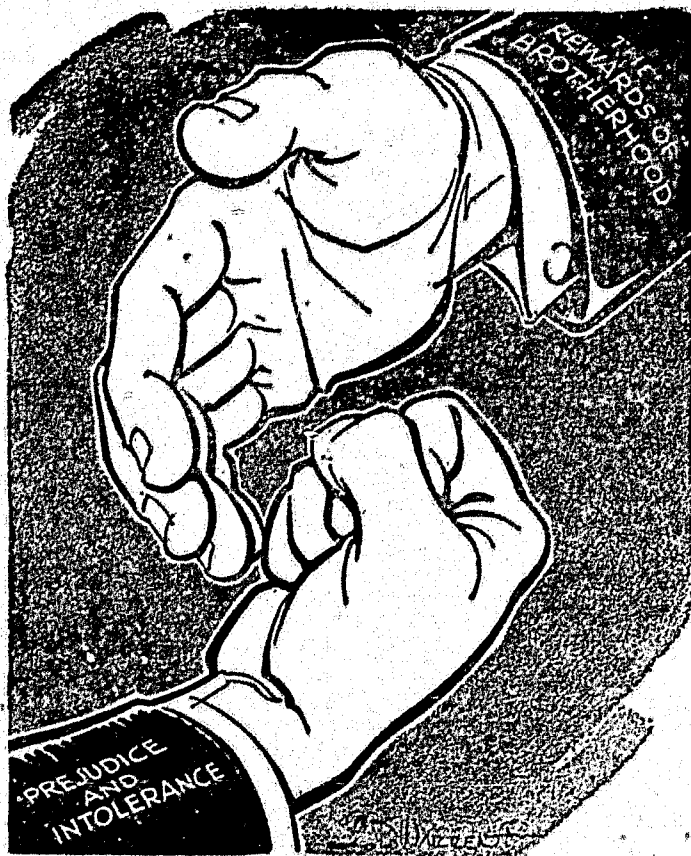
Urbain deCormier has returned home Tuesday afternoon after being a patient several days at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Greig of Auburn were callers of the William Bancrofts during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Bean and family were supper guests Friday of Mrs. Eleanor Bean and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lapham and Byron were visiting the William Kimballs at South Waterford, Sunday.

A CLOSED HAND CANNOT RECEIVE



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NEWRY

Mrs. George Learned, Cor. -

Mr. and Mrs. George Olson and family were dinner guests Sunday, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Learned.

Martha Lane, Errol, N. H., and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bennett, Fryeburg, were Sunday callers at Fred Wight's.

Bob and Samuel Bartholomew spent the week end at Lester Lane's.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Learned and family were in Roxbury, Sunday.

Cynthia Wight, Errol, N. H., spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wight.

Stanley Hale, Norwich, Conn., was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wight.

Gennie Bartholomew, Bethel, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Auger.

Mrs. Robert Korhonen and son, Andrew Dale, have been discharged from the Rumford Community Hospital and are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Iola DeWar, in Rumford.

Mrs. Ruth Mains spent the week end with friends in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings, Bethel, visited at Hanscoms Saturday evening.

Kelly June Olson visited with her grandparents, Thursday. Roberta Saunders, Bethel, is spending a few days with her

grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morton.

Mrs. Elizabeth Garneau, Vermont, is visiting a week with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Powers, Mexico, were recent callers at the home of Harry and Cora Powers.

The pupils of the Powers School had a Valentine Party Tuesday. Visitors were: Sheri Learned, Gary Wight and Harry Morton. Cocoa, cookies, cake and candy were served.

The Branch School had a Valentine Party Tuesday. Visitors were: Mrs. Eleanor Morton, son Harry, and granddaughter, Roberta Saunders; Karlene Batchelder and children, Heidi and Aaron; Pearl Bennett, Mathew Wight, Heather Vail, Gerald Broomhall. They exchanged valentines and enjoyed games. Refreshments of ice cream, cake, cookies, candy and kool-aid were served.

Mrs. Mina Wilhite, Rumford, is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Lane, and family.

The Ladies Circle will meet Monday evening, Feb. 20, at the home of Ida Wight.

The schools will close for a vacation Friday, Feb. 17, and will reopen, Feb. 27.

Elizabeth Wight and Mrs. Ruth Mains were supper guests Tuesday at Fred Wight's.

We never deceive for a good purpose; knavery adds malice to falsehood. Jean de la Bruyere

MAGALLOWAY

Mrs. Bessie Harvey, Cor. -

Roxanne Jean, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown, who has been very ill at the Stewartstown Hospital, is some better.

Mrs. Bertha West spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Florence Balsar, in Milan. Her son, Stanley, who is stationed at Fort Dix, N. J., was also at his sister's home Saturday night and Sunday.

Raymond Allen, who has come to Magalloway many years hunting and fishing, died at his home in Bridgton, Maine, at the age of 44 years on Feb. 6th.

The carnival at Errol on Friday was very well attended as was also the supper.

Maurice Bennett was appointed gatekeeper Friday evening at the Azisecos-Grange meeting to replace Harry Lancaster who died Jan. 21. The

Grange charter was also draped in black.

Malcolm Harvey with the tractor he operates for the Brown Co. was moved from Parmachenee to Bear Brook Friday.

Claude C. Linnell 3rd was home from Fryeburg Academy over the week end as was also Kathy Harvey from Rumford.

Fred Bennett is very ill at the Stewartstown Hospital. He was 81 years old on Feb. 14. He is eligible for a 50 year membership medal from the Masonic Lodge.

The mornings have returned to below zero temperatures but the days are sunny and warm.

Driving a car—demands all your attention. A moment's inattention to the traffic pattern around us can very easily be fatal. The Maine Highway Safety Committee urges us to Stay Alert—Stay Alive!

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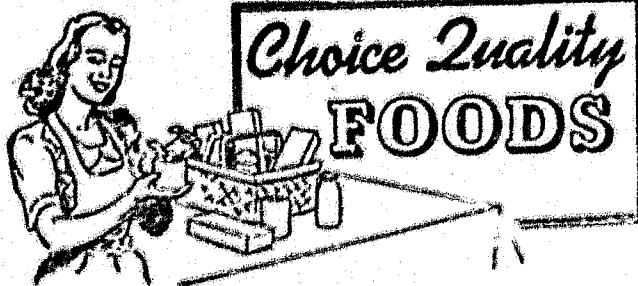
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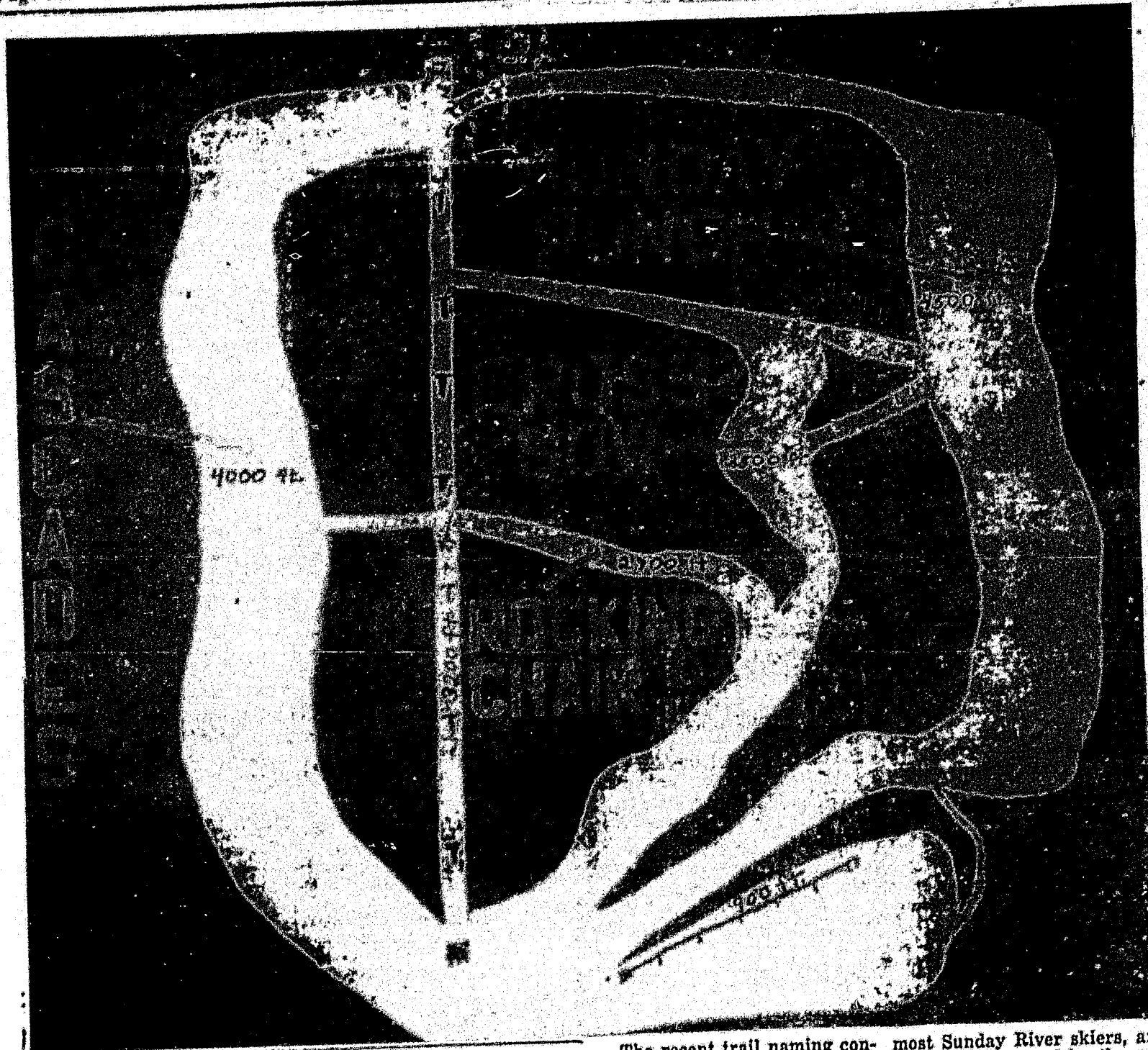
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EAST BETHEL

Mrs. David Foster, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hastings and Mrs. Robert Hastings were in Portland over the week end, visiting relatives.

Little Timmy Bennoch broke his leg sliding and is in the Norway Memorial Hospital. This week he will be taken to the Children's Hospital in Boston for further treatments.

Miss Dorothy Bartlett was home over the week end from her work in Boston.

Mrs. Edith Howe attended the Oxford County Home Economics Committee annual conference in South Paris, Saturday.

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day. Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe, Sue and Alan Howe, visited John Fife in Norway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Dorey of West Peru brought Victor Robinson home Sunday from his visit to them and other relatives in West Peru and Livermore Falls.

Mrs. Homer Smith, Jr., and children of Northwest Bethel were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. James Plawlock.

Mrs. Gordon Coffin and daughter, Jeanne, of Norway; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Coolidge of Northwest Bethel; Merle Newton of Rumford were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Maggie Newton.

Mrs. Florinda MacEwen of Rumford was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Remington.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith and Eleanor Billings visited Mrs. Lewis Verrill of Milton Road, Bethel, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Flanagan, Sonja, Shirley and Ronnie Flanagan; Miss Donna Edwards of Castro were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Curran and children, Danny and Linda, of Rumford Corner, were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stearns in Rumford Corner on Sunday.

There will be a meeting of Alder River Grange No. 145 on February 17 at 8 p. m.

Mrs. Bernice Noyes, Eugene Burns, and Robert Curtis have been very ill with the flu this week.

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ALBANY HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Cor. — Mrs. Vivian McAllister attended the Grange Home Economics Committee meeting in South Paris Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister visited Mr. and Mrs. Will McAllister, Jr., Waterford, recently.

Mike Inman spent Saturday night with Brian Cummings, and Bruce Cummings was an overnight guest of Andy Inman.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Allen of Freeport were Saturday supper guests of Mrs. Olive Spinney.

Harlan Bumpus was ice fishing in Bryant Pond Tuesday.

Miss Lucie Leighton is having a month's vacation from her work at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Bertha Andrews have been: Mrs. Iva Keniston and grandson Alan, of Portland; Miss Lloona Keniston and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Perry of Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney McAllister of Bethel, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister were Sunday dinner guests at Earl McAllister's in honor of Rodney's birthday.

Recent callers at Harlan Bumpus' have been: Mrs. Frances Libby of Bethel; Mrs. Arlene Leighton, Lucie and Alfred T.; Mrs. Rachel Hutchin-

son; Neil Eichhorn; Mrs. Olive Spinney; Keith Dyer and Kenneth Bumpus; Sherman Allen of Freeport; Harlan Kimball; and Mrs. Marion Elliott, Mrs. Sibyl Staula, Mrs. Dorothy Merriam, and Miss Cora Bumpus, all of Auburn.

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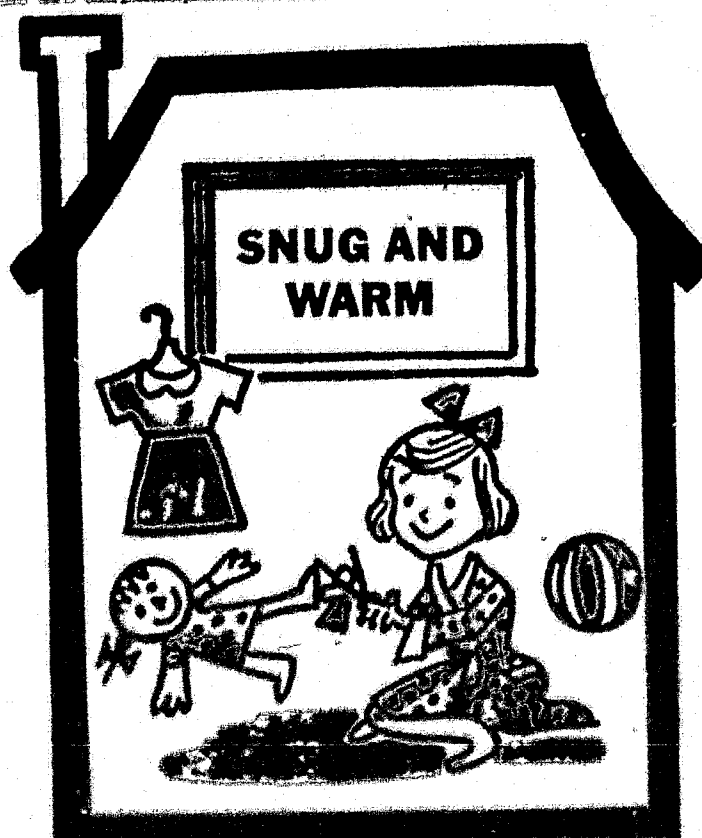
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BRYANT POND

Mrs. Juanita B. Allen, Correspondent

A birthday luncheon party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Andrews, South Woodstock, last Tuesday in honor of their daughter, Rebecca's birthday. The guests were: Elinor Andrews, Anita Gaugler, Joy Emmons, Crystal Smith, Lorraine Redman, Susan Linsbeck and Rose Cushman.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring of Freeport, formerly of this town are receiving congratulations on the birth of a baby daughter, named Donna Kay.

A surprise stork shower was given Mrs. Floyd Keniston at her home last Wednesday evening. She was the recipient of many nice gifts. Those attending were: Mrs. John Hall, Mrs. Victor Brooks, Mrs. Elwood Ring, Mrs. Edgar Morgan, Mrs. Samuel Redman, Mrs. Seymour McAllister, Mrs. Charles Howe, Mrs. Louis Sciotte, Mrs. Lettie Brooks, Mrs. Anne Crockett, Mrs. J. Everett Howe, Mrs. George Waterhouse, Mrs. Gladys Guernsey, Mrs. Robert Laguerre, Miss Donna Miller, Mrs. Jacobs, Mrs. Florence Redding, Mrs. Elsie Cole, Mrs. Sherwood Buck, Mrs. George Abbott, Mrs. H. Stanley Andrews, Mrs. John Gaugler, Mrs. M. Parker Allen, Mrs. Marilyn Richards, and Mrs. Olive Davis. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Stanley Morgan and Mrs. Herbert Bermynt, Jr. Gifts were also

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the seventeenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one, from day to day from the seventeenth day of said January. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bethel Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the twenty-first day of February A. D. 1961, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Elmer C. Allen, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and Petition for Probate thereof and the appointment of Rupert F. Aldrich as Executor of the same, to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Rupert F. Aldrich, the Executor therein named.

Willis W. Brooke, late of Newry, deceased; First and Final Account presented for allowance by Sue L. Wight (formerly Sue L. Brooke), Administratrix.

Ada Fern Jordan, late of Bethel, deceased; First Account and Petition for Order to Distribute the Balance remaining in his hands presented by Arthur I. Bean, Administrator.

Arthur Harvey Browne, late of Bethel, deceased; Final Account and Petition for Order to Distribute the Balance remaining in his hands presented by Fred E. Hanson, Administrator.

Witness, Robert T. Smith Judge of said Court at Paris, this seventeenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one.

PAUL L. NEVINS, Register

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WEST PARIS

Mrs. Roxie Inman, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Hibler announced the engagement of their daughter Virginia Ann, of Binghamton, N. Y., to Nelson Leroy Chamberlain, Great Bend, Pa. Miss Hibler is a graduate of West Paris High School. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Libby are the maternal grandparents of a daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Ellis of Rockville, Conn., Feb. 11.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ring and two sons, Portsmouth, N. H., were in town over the week end.

The women of the Universalist Church attended the Women's Day Dedication Service at the Norway Universalist Church, Wednesday evening.

The West Paris Chamber of Commerce met at the high school, Monday evening.

West Paris Grange will convene for regular meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m. The Legislative Committee will present the program. Refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting.

Home Extension met Feb. 9 with Mrs. Ann Flavin as hostess. The subject discussed was

ton of West Paris, at the Rumford Universalist Church Saturday, Feb. 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Hathaway are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter born Sunday at the Rumford Community Hospital.

The Board of Directors of the Universalist Church will meet Friday evening at 7:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Parker Allen.

Charles Silver, South Woodstock, was badly injured Monday morning when a tree fell on him. He is hospitalized at the Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway.

The annual Woodstock winter carnival was held Feb. 11 at Oak Hill. Joe Farnum was the head judge. There were nine events rated on a point

"Methods Program Planning." Dinner was served at noon by Mrs. Flavin, Mrs. Frances Braeden and Mrs. Aili Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. Eino Kangas entertained Sunday at a 25th wedding anniversary party in honor of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Blake of Harrison. A blue and white anniversary cake made by Mrs. Glenn Emery, centered the refreshment table. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Blake; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Yates, Vernon Jr.; Jane Mitchell, Brunswick; Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Perkins, Dana and Russell, Cedar Grove; Mr. and Mrs. William Ring, Bobby and Dicky, Portsmouth, N. H.; Mrs. Lottice Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hibler, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hibler, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Morey, Susan, Cindy and Kathy; Mr. and Mrs. David Ring and Cathy, Sandra Kangas, Leland Kangas, all of West Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Leino, Karina, Alvin, Kevin, Anna Jean, of Harrison; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kangas and Brian, Summer; Mr. and Mrs. Glenwood Yates, Robert Yates, Mrs. Dorothy Curtis, Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Purdy,

basin. Trophies were awarded to the high boy and girl and ribbons to the first three placing in an event. Names to be reported later. The carnival will be held at the school gym on Saturday, Feb. 18, at 8:00 p. m. The carnival queen will be chosen this week.

The Junior Choir of the Universalist Church are going to Lewiston Saturday to be auditioned for the Youth Cavalcade program.

CARD OF THANKS

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Watertown, Mass., were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Reid and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reid.

Mrs. Minnie Smith is visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Ring, Portsmouth, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Ross entertained her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dunham and Richard, Jr., of New Haven, Conn., over the week end.

Mrs. John Reid was honored at a surprise birthday party at her home, Monday evening. The birthday cake was made and decorated by Mrs. Milton Inman.

Nimble Fingers 4-H: A short business meeting was held including the regular reports. A thank you note was read from

Mrs. Jessie Abbott for the Christmas remembrance to her husband. We voted to give \$2 to the Heart Fund. Mrs. Elingwood showed us the Maine trays the 4-H leaders are selling. Some of us took one home. After the business meeting we looked over our demonstration papers and talked of the points we fell down on. We appreciate the comments the judges made as they will help us. We reviewed darning and had our judging contest on several darts.

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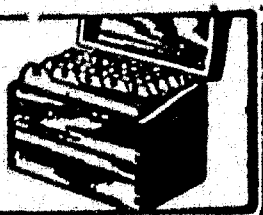
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10 YEARS AGO

Rainfall brought water over the roads in several places. The water remained for a while during zero weather finally leaving the roads very rough. The car of Elmer Keith of Lewiston broke through the ice on Lake Thompson, Oxford, and sank in 25 feet of water. Keith with his son and daughter escaped from the car and swam, finally getting onto the surface of the ice.

Deaths: Perce E. Ford.

20 YEARS AGO

Miss Maria Robertson of Bethel celebrated her 93rd birthday at her home on Main Street.

Many children were ill with the mumps.

Deaths: Miss Addie Lapham, Mrs. Margaret W. Jones.

30 YEARS AGO

Fire damage to the Strathglass building and contents at Rumford was estimated at \$150,000.

The Bethel Congregational Church received \$5,000 by the will of Miss Harriet Foster.

Deaths: Lafayette Foster, Edwin C. Douglass, Charles H. Porter, Solomon D. Wilson.

40 YEARS AGO

Judge Addison E. Herriek of Bethel was honored at a banquet of the Oxford Bar Association at Norway. He had retired Dec. 31 after serving 20 years as Judge of Probate.

The engine of the eastbound afternoon train, No. 16, was derailed at Walker's grade (South Bethel).

Deaths: Mrs. Henrietta Saunders, Mrs. Lilla Coffin, Mrs. Abbie Cummings.

50 YEARS AGO

The steam sawmill at Rumford Point was running nearly full time.

Fifty couples attended a social dance at Odcon Hall. Music furnished by Herriek's Orchestra.

The Odd Fellow's building at Norway was damaged by fire.

Deaths: Miss Lizzie Stearns, Mrs. Clara Grover, Mrs. Lucinda Cole, Mrs. Mary Frost.

60 YEARS AGO

Fred Bemis of Gilead, fireman on one of the Hastings company's locomotives, was badly burned by hot water.

Heavy snowstorms handicapped logging activities. The Norway-Paris electric car line was snowed under.

Deaths: Augustus D. Kimball, Mrs. George Flint.

HEART FUND CAMPAIGN VOLUNTEERS LISTED

The Heart Fund campaign in Bethel will take place during the week of Feb. 19, ending on Heart Sunday, Feb. 26. The major portion of the fund raising will be devoted to the house-to-house canvass.

Volunteers and the streets or areas to be solicited are as follows: Mrs. Richard Waldron, Maasen, Crescent, Tyler and Kilborn Streets; Mrs. John Young, Lower Paradise Hill; Mrs. Eric Sahlberg, Eden Lane and Upper Paradise Hill; Mrs. Rudolph Royer, Vernon Street; Mrs. Erlon Paine, Spring Street; Mrs. Dexter Stowell, Clark Street; Mrs. Lewis Sargent, High and Summer Streets; Mrs. Vance Richardson, Elm Street; Mrs. Colwyn Haskell, Chapman and Philbrook Streets; Mrs. Guy Butler, Brook Street; Mrs. Dwight Morrill, Mechanic Street; Mrs. Melvin Tenney, Park and Church Streets; Mrs. Clinton Jenkins, Railroad Street; Mrs. Gardner Smith, Mill Hill and Songo Pond Road; Mrs. Max Zallen, and Mrs. Lawrence Davis, Main Street; Mrs. Avery Angevine, Evergreen Road; Mrs. Robert Nichols, Bridge Street; Mrs. Murray Thurston, Mayville; Mrs. Asher Runnels, Swan's Corner; Mrs. Irving Blowers, Northwest Bethel; Mrs. George Stowell, Jr., Mrs. Emerson Clough, and Mrs. Louis Paul, West Bethel; Mrs. Maurice Kendall, Steam Mill; Mrs. Richard Carter and Mrs. Ronald Stevens, Middle Intervale; Mrs. Rodney Howe and Mrs. Lee Swan, East Bethel; Mrs. Blinn Collins, Grafton Area; Mrs. Joyce Barker, South Bethel; Mrs. Richard Bryant, Stores; Dexter Stowell, Chairman.

Money donated to the Heart Fund is used for research on heart attacks, strokes, high blood pressure, and many other heart and circulatory diseases.

37th ANNUAL RUMFORD CARNIVAL MARCH 4 AND 5

The 37th annual Rumford Winter Carnival will take place on Saturday, March 4, and Sunday, March 5, at the new Chisholm Ski Park, Black Mountain. It was announced by Redgar Christiansen, General Chairman.

Week end schedule of events: Saturday, March 4 1:30 p. m. Cross Country Race, Chisholm Ski Park; 8 p. m. Carnival Ball, Armory; 9 p. m. Coronation of Carnival Queen, Armory.

Sunday, March 5 1:30 p. m. Invitation Ski Jumping, Chisholm Ski Park; 6:30 p. m. Skiers' Banquet, Chisholm Ski Park Lodge.

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Having seen the estimated budget of the Awards Committee, I will at this time pass that figure on to you. Here it is, so hang on! Five hundred dollars. That's right, \$500.00 worth of awards to be presented to our contestants on the night of the pageant. All final contestants have not been selected as yet, so hurry your entry to Mr. Richard Blake, Bethel, Maine. Closing date on entries is March 1st to allow ample time for screening of last minute contestants before the pageant.

Now to give you some idea of what you can expect to see at the pageant. It is not just a beauty contest, but a combination of three different judgments. First, all contestants will appear in evening gown to be judged for poise and grace. Next, talent, each contestant will display in a three minute routine of her choice, a variation of many acts, ranging from tap dancing, singing, playing a musical instrument, to pantomime or a selected reading of a famous poet or author. Then last but not least, bathing suit competition where all contestants will be judged for beauty of face and figure.

Sale of tickets, both patron and general admission, are now on sale, but they are both limited. Only 500 tickets have been printed and when they are gone, that's it. If you don't have one we feel you will have missed one of the best shows to have been staged anywhere in the state of Maine. If you want to be sure of a ticket, call or write Mr. Eldon Greenleaf, ticket committee, Bethel, Maine. He has both patron and general admission tickets available.

Thank you, and watch this paper for more facts on "Miss Oxford County" next week.

SUNDAY RIVER

— Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Whitman and children of Norway were at Estes Yates, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gardner of North Gorham were at their camp Thursday to see if it was all right.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Fleet called at Angelo Onofrio's Saturday.

Our summer reminder for this week is a very much alive butterfly.

SUNDAY RIVER SKI CLUB SPONSORING GIANT SLALOM RACE FEB. 24

The Sunday River Ski Club is completing plans for a Class III and IV giant slalom race under the sanction of the USEASA to be held on Friday, Feb. 24. Starting time is 10:30 a. m. Registration opens at 9:30 a. m. Only junior members of the USEASA having classification cards are eligible to compete. All entries must be sent to Race Sec., Box 331, Bethel, Maine. Entry fee is \$1.00 plus usual 25 cents for the international fund. All entries must be in by Feb. 20. No late entries will be accepted. Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded to the top three in each class and division. The best time of the race will entitle the holder to have his or her name inscribed on the Oxford Paper Trophy, a permanent trophy that remains in the trophy cabinet at the Skiway lodge.

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SKILLINGTON

— Mrs. Ola Tift, Corres. —

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Saunders were Mrs. and Raymond Saunders and family, West Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Saunders and family, Gorham, N. H.; Mrs. Irene Onofrio, Milan, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thurston, Errol, N. H.

Lewis Cele, Jr., visited his parents one day last week.

Mrs. Alice McAllister was in Norway, Saturday.

4-H CLUB NEWS

Busy Beavers 4-H Club. We had a demonstration on how to put a zipper in a skirt. We also planned a skating party for Friday night from 7 to 9.

Skirts, aprons and drawstring bags must be finished by the first week in March. Refreshments were served by Vicki Robertson and Nancy Young.

Maryvonne Rolfe and Harriet Hillier are serving refreshments next week. Club Reporter, Harriet Hillier.

SPOON AND HOE 4-H

The Spoon and Hoe 4-H Club held its meeting February 11. Committees were appointed for the supper on February 18. The boys will set tables and clean up and the girls will each bake cookies. Our next regular meeting will be February 25 at our leaders home. Merry and Bobby will serve refreshments and Henry Deegan will bring entertainment.

Nancy L. Brown, Reporter

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Miss Carol Young is Miss Jane Carver is N. H.

Donald Fraser was from Togus—Friday Sunday.

Peter Davis was in boro, Vt., where he ski jumping.

Mrs. Helen Hill daughters are visiting mother, Mrs. Harriet for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James ited Mr. and Mrs. Young in Talcottville over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles and family of Foreside are in Bethel week.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael of North C Mass., were week end of Mrs. Ruth Dorion.

Mrs. Katharine A Thompsonville, Conn with Mrs. Ruth Dorion day through Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lela and children, Jeffrey en, are in Boston 1 end, attending the I Miss Marjorie M sophomore at Farmington Teachers College, Dean's list for the first.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie visited their daughter, at Springfield, Springfield, Mass., on end.

Mr. and Mrs. William and family left to spend the rest of in Massachusetts visitives.

Mrs. Donald E. and son, Eric, Washpot, Conn., are visiting Mrs. and Mrs. O. derson.

Wayne Perry undergery for tonsillectomy day at the Rumford Hospital. He arrived Wednesday.

Mrs. William Carey ily, Framington, Mass Saturday to spend at the home of her father M. Bean.

Melodie Emery of returned Tuesday after several days grandparents, Mr. Ralph Berry.

Earlton Paine and Young were in West town, N. H., on Sunday sent the 60 year Maf Fred Bennett of Wil who is ill at the hosp

Charles Blake has ed to attend the annu of the Eastern States Exchange at Springfield March 3. Alternates: Herbert Lyon and Rie ter.

The Pilgrim Fellow the Methodist Youth ship were invited by co Youth Group to at ler skating party evening. Several car tended.

Mr. and Mrs. George and son, George, M Clough from H Conn., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs Clough. Billy Rob with them also and his father, William in Locke Mills.

Preliminary annou Gould Academy Win val March 3 and 4: competition—basketball, skiing (Sunday River snow sculpture. Question: Carnival Ball concerning schedule and queen candidate sued later.

The Week

Mrs. Mary B. C oldest resident of community, died Mrs. Carter was 98 lived at the Andr South Paris, since Mrs. Carter owned ed the Carter Kind Montclair, N. J., fr 1939 when she relit turned to her hom Hill.